



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Docket No. R12HML01

August 25, 2003

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Inventor: Abimael Cordova

Title: High Molecular Weight Styrenic Block Copolymer
Hot Melt Adhesive For Toy Articles

Serial No: 10/035,888

Filing Date: December 31, 2001

Transmitted herewith is a **Response to Restriction Requirement under 37 CFR § 1.143** in the above-identified patent application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

☐ The fees have been calculated or outlined below.

FEE CALCULATION					
Fee Items	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number of Claims Previously Paid For	Present Extra Claims	Fee Rate	Total
Total Claims	17	17	0	X\$18.00	\$00.00
Independent Claims	3	3	0	X\$84.00	\$00.00
TOTAL FEES					\$ 00.00

☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d), for the total number of months checked below:

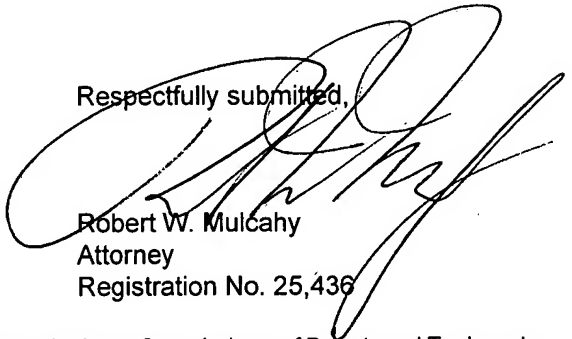
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<input type="checkbox"/> Four Months	\$1,450.00

If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefor.

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XX The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. _____. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,


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In re Application of: Abimael Cordova

Serial No.: 10/035,888

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Styrenic Block Copolymer
Hot Melt Adhesive For
Toy Articles

§ Group Art Unit: 1714
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§ Examiner: P. Szekely
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§ Attorney Docket No.: R12HML01

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.143

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The present communication is in response to the Office Action dated August 20, 2003, outlining the Examiner's two-way restriction requirement between Hot Melt Adhesive Composition Claims 1-5 (Group I) and Toy Article Claims 6-17 (Group II).

In response to the Examiner's requirement of election of claims, Applicant's undersigned Attorney hereby elects **Group II**, Toy Article Claims 6-17 for prosecution, with traverse.

EXPRESS MAIL UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

I hereby declare that this paper is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service on the date shown below as Express Mail, Mailer No. EL758277834US addressed to the: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Box :NON-Fee Amendment, P.O. BOX 1450, Alexandria, VA 22312-1450.

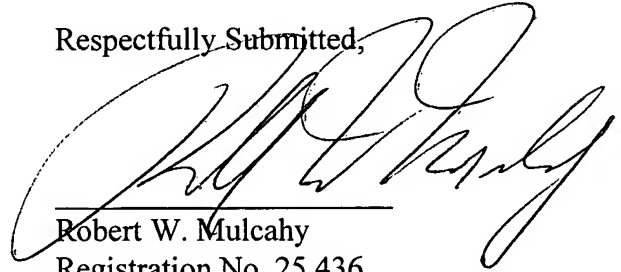
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Applicant's undersigned attorney invites any direct telephone communication from the Examiner to expedite prosecution of the subject Application.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. W. Mulcahy', written over a horizontal line.

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